

**File No.CIC/SM/C/2010/000685**  
**Central Information Commission**  
**Club Building (Near Post office)**  
**Old JNU Campus,**  
**New Delhi-110067**

**Date: 19/08/2010**

To

Shri Ratan Lal Bairawa,  
S/o Shyobwaksh Bairawa,  
P.O. Borkandi Klam, Via Diggi,  
Distt. Tonk, Rajasthan.

**Subject:        Application under RTI Act, 2005.**

Sir,

This is in reference to your appeal/complaint petition dated 12.06.2010. I am directed to convey that the Sahara India Bank is not covered under the definition of "Public Authority" as mentioned in Sec. 2 (h) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 quoted herein under:

**Sec. 2 (h) of the RTI Act, 2005.**

"Public Authority" Means any Authority or body or institution of self-government established or constituted,-

- (a) By or under the Constitution;
- (b) By any other law made by parliament;
- (c) By any other law made by state legislature;
- (d) By notification issued or made by the appropriate Government, and includes any, -
  - (i) Body owned, controlled or substantially financed;
  - (ii) Non - Government Organization substantially financed, directly or indirectly by funds provided by the appropriate Government;

3. In view of the above quoted provisions of Section 2(h) of RTI Act, 2005, your application, is being filed, since Sahara India Bank is not a "Public Authority" and the case is being treated as closed.

**Assistant Registrar**

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